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**Sent**: 11/30/2021 2:42:51 PM

To: Nagaue, Gavin [Gavin.Nagaue@doh.hawaii.gov]

Subject: RE: Hilo WWTP

Attachments: 2021-11-21 Kohanaiki NPDES Compliance Inspection Report DRAFT.docx

HI Gavin, thanks for your help on this ~ just to close the loop, I found no issues and a nice treatment plant. Odors weren't that bad, but they really should upgrade their odor-control unit since they are right next to a beach park and their own golf course.

### John Tinger

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From: Nagaue, Gavin < Gavin.Nagaue@doh.hawaii.gov>

**Sent:** Thursday, November 18, 2021 10:39 AM **To:** Tinger, John < Tinger. John@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Hilo WWTP

Hmmm. Is that just a guilty conscience and great interview skills

That being said spills to ground should be reported to the waste water branch.

Good job

From: Tinger, John < <u>Tinger John@epa.gov</u>>
Sent: Thursday, November 18, 2021 5:24 AM

To: Nagaue, Gavin < Gavin. Nagaue@doh.hawaii.gov>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: Hilo WWTP

Thanks – had an interesting conversation w facilities mgr. Turns out they have a pressurized/grinder pump system and force mains. When I called to say I was following up on a complaint, he immediately went into details of todays sewage spill (which of course I just let him go on about...) so interesting. Was just a few hundred gallons contained in a construction ditch, but still, I like the idea of cold-calling from EPA and getting confessions!

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From: Nagaue, Gavin < Gavin. Nagaue@doh.hawaii.gov>

Sent: Wednesday, November 17, 2021 6:03 PM

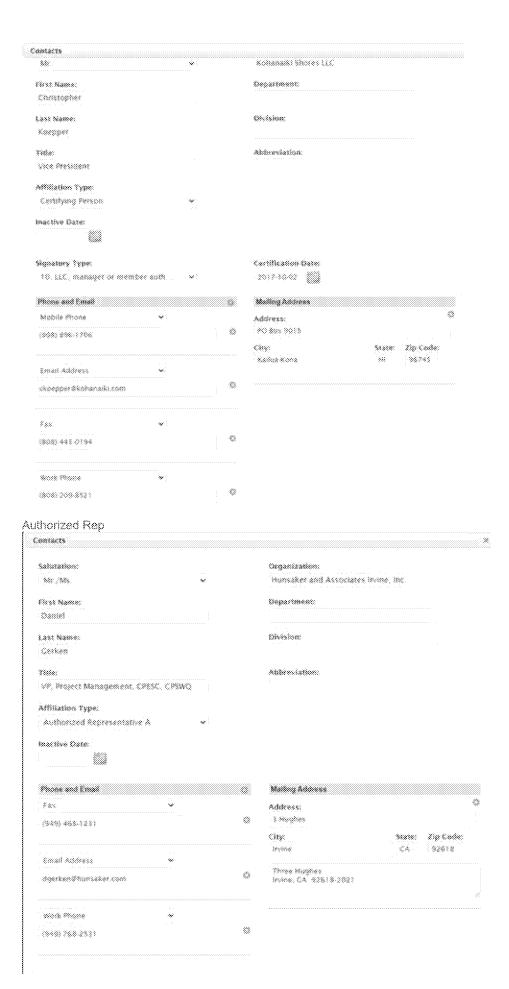
To: Tinger, John <Tinger.John@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Hilo WWTP

## John

HIR10C202 The Shores at Kohanaiki Has been on the books since 2005

The permit is so old that I cant find any real indication of where the boundries of th 2004)	e site are (was probably on a paper application in
I have included the most recent NGPC and the NOI attached for you reference (co NOI was submitted by	ntact info in the NOI)
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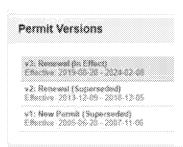


We have never done any inspections of the Site or received any complaints about it

If it looks bad...or if you just see construction activity let us know we can go this year. Still looking for sites on the Big Island

### Good luck

LMK if you need anything else



# HIR10C202 - Rutter/KW Kohanaiki, LLC

Permit to Effect

Form C. Strom water associated with construction activities. The Strong of Kahamaki (Hamati) ICS 48705S, 198 001346

#### Permit Action

Owner:

Ruder9VV Kohabaki, LLC

Complete Date:

2018/08/21

Issue Date:

2019-00-20

Effective Date:

2010-00-20

Expiration Date:

2024-03-40

Permit Priority:

Assigned to Permit Engineer:

Assigned to Compliance Personnel:

Filing Fee Expected:

8300.00

Filling Fee Received:

Check Number:

Check Date:

Bax Number:

106 Work Grant Type:

Construction Softmane NOFC (Peace 5)

Electronic Submission:

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From: Tinger, John < <u>Tinger.John@epa.gov</u>>
Sent: Wednesday, November 17, 2021 1:48 PM
To: Nagaue, Gavin. < Gavin. Nagaue@doh.hawaii.gov>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] RE: Hilo WWTP

Are you in office today? If you have a minute I wanted to ask some Qs

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From: Nagaue, Gavin < Gavin. Nagaue@doh.hawaii.gov>

**Sent:** Monday, November 15, 2021 11:47 AM **To:** Tinger, John <Tinger, John@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Hilo WWTP

Works for me

From: Tinger, John < <u>Tinger.John@epa.gov</u>>
Sent: Wednesday, November 10, 2021 3:57 PM
To: Nagaue, Gavin < Gavin.Nagaue@doh.hawaii.gov>

Subject: [EXTERNAL] FW: Hilo WWTP

This is what Sandra said:

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From: Chew, Sandra < Chew.Sandra@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, November 9, 2021 10:27 AM
To: Tinger, John < Tinger.John@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Hilo WWTP

They will show on the QNCR but they are not highlighted to be resolved.

Sandra Chew US EPA Region 9, ENF-4-1 75 Hawthorne Street San Francisco, CA 94105 415-972-3335

From: Tinger, John < Tinger.John@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, November 9, 2021 10:23 AM
To: Chew, Sandra < Chew.Sandra@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Hilo WWTP

Ok thanks! that makes sense. So do they keep showing up on the QNCR? or do they resolve themselves at some point

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From: Chew, Sandra < Chew.Sandra@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, November 9, 2021 9:56 AM
To: Tinger, John@epa.gov>

Subject: RE: Hilo WWTP

Hi John,

The violation code C10 and C20 is only an indication that their "Schedule Event Reported Late" (C10) and "Schedule Event Achieved Late but Reported" (C20). They cannot be resolved if in reality they were late in reporting. It would be more concerning if they did not report (C40).

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This screen shot indicates that they should have "Achieve Final Compliance with All Obligation" on 6/30/2018 but they

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From: Tinger, John < Tinger, John@epa.gov>
Sent: Tuesday, November 9, 2021 9:10 AM
To: Chew, Sandra < Chew. Sandra@epa.gov>

were late and reported on 11/27/2018.

Subject: FW: Hilo WWTP

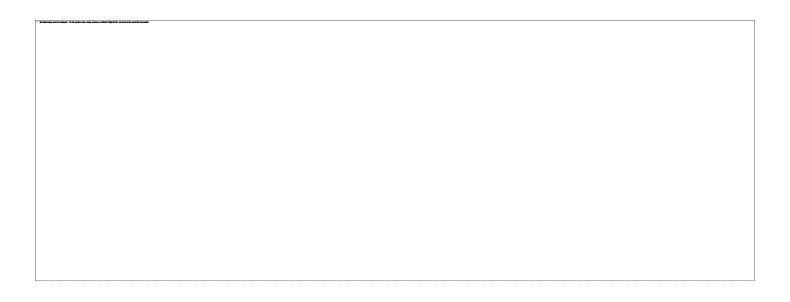
Hi Sandra,

Looking for some help on the QNCR old data cobwebs....

For HI 0021377 Hilo WWTP:

There are 2 "Schedule Violations" for 1 A CS031 Achieve Final Compliance With All Obligations Under This order with Violations Code C10 and C20.

There is no RNC detection Code, and the system won't let me make any changes. These were back in 2018, (I was able to resolve the other schedule violations several years ago), but these seem to be popping up still in ECHO due to the violations code I guess. Any help would be appreciated! Thank you very much



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